

### Pesticide applications on vegetables: Acreage percentage receiving applications, Oregon, 2000

Commodity	Planted acreage	Area receiving <sup>1/</sup> and total applied							
		Herbicide		Insecticide		Fungicide		Other chemical	
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 lbs.</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 lbs.</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 lbs.</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 lbs.</i>
Corn, sweet, processing....	35,800	96	131.1	49	24.1	<sup>2/</sup>	<sup>2/</sup>	<sup>2/</sup>	<sup>2/</sup>
Beans, snap, processing...	22,100	99	106.3	88	36.5	90	10.3	6	0.1
Onions, dry .....	17,900	99	34.0	99	43.7	90	92.5	62	1,595
Peas, green, processing ...	34,900	80	19.7	85	18.1	24	46.2	<sup>2/</sup>	<sup>2/</sup>
Strawberries .....	4,100	80	9.3	76	5.9	92	25.3	29	0.4

<sup>1/</sup> Refers to acres receiving one or more applications of a specific pesticide class.

<sup>2/</sup> Insufficient reports to publish data.

### Pesticide applications: Winter wheat receiving applications, Oregon, 2000

Commodity	Planted acreage	Area receiving <sup>1/</sup>			
		Herbicide		Fungicide	
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 lbs.</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 lbs.</i>
Winter Wheat .....	750	99	550	13	62

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### Hired workers on farms and ranches: Annual average number of workers and wage rates for selected states 1996-2000

State	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Oregon workers (000) .....	28.3	29.5	24.8	30.4	26.4
Wage rate (\$/hr) .....	\$6.95	\$7.46	\$8.08	\$8.32	\$8.68
Washington workers (000) .....	45.0	44.8	45.2	46.1	40.4
Wage rate (\$/hr) .....	\$7.43	\$7.64	\$7.76	\$8.01	\$8.60
Idaho workers (000) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Wage rate (\$/hr) .....	\$6.64	\$6.80	\$6.98	\$7.19	\$7.69
California workers (000) .....	194.5	188.8	246.0	277.3	237.8
Wage rate (\$/hr) .....	\$7.01	\$7.32	\$7.71	\$7.88	\$8.21
United States workers (000) .....	832.0	876.5	879.5	929.0	890.3
Wage rate (\$/hr) .....	\$6.78	\$7.35	\$7.47	\$7.77	\$8.10

NA: Not available.